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Sir:

Enclosed is Part B - Issue Fee Transmittal and copies of our Transmittal of Corrected Drawings and corrected drawings. Corrected drawings responsive to the Notice of Allowance are being submitted under separate cover to the Drawing Review Branch.

Respectfully submitted,

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

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Applicant agrees that the Examiner has accurately stated one reason for allowance of the claims. However, the claims include other patentable aspects that were not identified by the Examiner. This response is submitted to avoid the possibility of any unnecessary limitation on the scope of the claims which might result from the stated reason for allowance. It is being submitted concurrently with the issue fee payment.

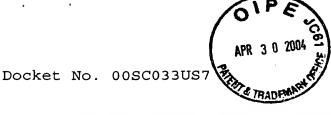
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TRANSMITTAL OF CORRECTED DRAWINGS

Sir:

Enclosed in response to the Notice of Allowability, mailed March 29, 2004 in connection with the above application, is a full set of corrected drawings.

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